

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : MATTERN *et al.*  
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For : **CONTROLLED RELEASE DELIVERY SYSTEM FOR  
NASAL APPLICATION**  
Examiner : Sasan, Aradhana  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed September 29, 2009 setting a three (3) month period for reply.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.